

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration of this application, based upon the attached Supplemental Amendment is respectfully requested.

The foregoing amendments have been made for the purpose of amending the claims for the purpose of indicating that the conical section comprises at least one section configured to have the instrument disposed therein and to also claim that the height of the conical section also corresponds with the longitudinal length in the conical section so as to provide a range of protection of the claimed invention, including possible alternative embodiments such as providing conical sections which are mirror images of one another at the neck portion of a seal. Accordingly, an early and favorable Office Action is believed to be in order and the same is hereby respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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